

Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 20, 1902

Roast Pig in a Lamb in China.

A correspondent of the North China Herald writes this dissertation upon roast pig: "How little western writers understand the Chinese! Who has not read and rejoiced over Lamb's 'Dissertation Upon Roast Pig?' It is not everybody who has the chance of seeing Lamb's fascinating story worked out in real life. In the beginning of the present Chinese year I passed through a busy market village where the people kept many pigs. In the middle of the night a fire broke out in the market village, and destroyed the whole place. No lives had been lost, but most of the pigs had been roasted, especially those too fat to run quickly. Roast pig! Burning houses! Lamb's story in real life! Quite naturally I remarked that some folk must have had a splendid meal of roast pork in those days. To my surprise the natives asked with disgust: 'A splendid meal! Who would eat that stinking, smoky stuff?' The palate of the Chinaman absolutely rejects smoky roast pork! All that magnificent epicurean description culminated in the one word 'cracking'—a delusion, a yarn, a lie! I glared over that yarn when a boy and grew excited as the story went from one page to another. Now to find the whole thing go up in smoke!"

Solving It.

Patrick, a thrifty tradesman in the neighborhood of the Dublin docks, was the story goes, a man who never spent a penny more than he needed to spend, but he was nevertheless as good a man at the making of an Irish bull as any who lived between Bantry and Ballycastle.

Having one day occasion to send a letter to a place some distance, Patrick called a messenger and asked him his price for going such a distance.

"It'll be a shillin'," said the man.

"Twice too much!" said Patrick. "Let it be sixpence."

"Niver," answered the messenger. "The way is that lonely that I'd niver go to it under a shillin'."

"Lonely, is it?" said Patrick, scratching his head. "Faith, an' ye're right. Now, man, I'll tell ye what we'll do. We'll make it sixpence, an' I'll go with ye to kape ye company!"

Curran Met His Match.

Curran, the famous Irish advocate, was a master of repartee, but he did not always score, though he enjoyed an encounter none the less if he was fairly beaten. One day, in a gay mood, he stopped and chatted with a certain Father O'Leary. "Ah, father," said the advocate, waiting for an opening, "how I wish when I die that you had the key to heaven!"

"Why?" said the priest, for he guessed a trap was laid.

"Because you could let me in."

"Ah," said Father O'Leary, "it would be better for you if I had the key of the other place, for then I could let you out!"

The Rose.

Old as the history of the world itself is that of the queen of flowers. The ancient Greeks and Romans revelled in their feasts. In the time of the republic the people had their cups of falernian wine swimming with blossoms, and the Spartan soldiers, after the battle of Clirha, refused to drink any wine that was not perfumed with roses, while at the regatta of Bala the whole surface of the Lucrine lake was strewn with flowers.

A NEW REMEDY.

The old friends of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will be pleased to know that the manufacturers of that preparation have gotten out a new remedy called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and that it is meeting with much success in the treatment of constipation, biliousness, sick headache, impaired digestion and like disorders. These Tablets are easier to take and more pleasant in effect than pills, then they not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and correct any disorders of the stomach and liver. For sale by Richard Gibbons, druggist.

A Cold Wave.

The forecast of sudden changes in the weather serves notice that a hostile voice and heavy cloud may invade the sanctity of health in your own home. Cautious people have a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure at hand. E. H. Wise, Madison, Ga., writes: "I am indebted to One Minute Cough Cure for my present good health, and probably my life." It cures Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and All Throat and Lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure beats the plague, draws out the inflammation and soothes the mucous membranes and strengthens the lungs. E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

Account of the Christmas and New Year's Holidays, the Washington-Southern Railway Company will sell special excursion tickets to points on its line and connections at one and one-third fares for the round trip. Tickets on sale December 23rd, 24th, 25th, 30th and 31st, 1902, and January 1st, 1903, good returning until January 30, 1903. To students of schools and colleges, presenting certificates signed by the head of the school or college, these tickets will be sold December 16th to 23rd, inclusive, good returning until January 5th; continuous passage in each direction. Apply to ticket agents, Washington-Southern Railway. W. P. TAYLOR, Traffic Mgr. dec12 to jan2

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7:30 and 10:30 a. m., and 1:15, 2:40, 6:30 and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00, 4:30 and 8:30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 1:30 p. m. and 7:20 p. m. Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7:30 and 11:30 a. m., and 1:45 and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m. and 2:30 and 4:30 p. m. Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10:40 a. m. and 3:30, 6:30 and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m. Manassas Division mails close at 7:50 a. m. and 3:45 p. m. Open at 12:00 m. Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7:30 a. m. and 4 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1:45 p. m. and 10:45 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6:30 and 10:00 a. m. and 3:00 and 5:30 p. m. Full route—6:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Sunday collection—6:00 a. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9:00 a. m. and close 10:00 a. m. Deliveries made 8:00 a. m., 1 p. m. and 4:15 p. m. All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

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Your physician will tell you that you should always have some good whiskey in the house. For accidents, fainting spells, exhaustion, and other emergency cases, it relieves and revives. But you must have good whiskey, pure whiskey, for poor whiskey, adulterated whiskey, may do decided harm. HAYNER WHISKY is just what you need for it goes direct from our own distillery to you, with all the strength, richness and flavor of a UNITED STATES REGISTERED DISTILLER'S GUARANTEE OF PURITY and AGE and saving the dealer's enormous profits. We have over a quarter of a million satisfied customers, exclusively family trade, who know it is best for medicinal purposes and prefer it for other uses. That's why YOU should try it. Your money back if you are not satisfied.

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Orders for Ariz., Cal., Col., Idaho, Mont., Nev., N. Mex., Ore., Utah, Wash. D. C. must be on the basis of 4 quarts for \$12.00 by Express. Prepaid or 30 quarts for \$120.00 by Freight Prepaid.

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AUCTION SALES.

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST

dated May 1, 1880, and recorded in Liber K, No. 4, folio 355, one of the land records of Alexandria city, Virginia, the undersigned trustees will, at the hour of twelve o'clock M., on

WEDNESDAY,

the 21st day of January, 1903,

at the front door of the Courthouse of Alexandria city, the north by the George Rowen street entrance to the Market Building, and

OF LAND THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND situated in the county of Alexandria, State of Virginia, containing about one hundred and three and one-half acres of land, and being the same conveyed by deed of even date with the said deed of trust by Annie M. Adams and others to Francis Hurst, trustee, and located on the north by the George Rowen street entrance to the Market Building, and on the east and south by the lands of S. Anna Hurst and Laura J. Shreve; on the east by the lands of John N. Harrison; on the south by the lands of John B. Harrison, Jr., Emma G. Coleman, Mary G. Plant, Mary E. Carlin and J. Devanagh, and on the west by the Southern Railway, formerly the Washington, Old Dominion and Annapolis Railroad. A more particular description of the said land reference is made to the said deed of trust.

All conveying to be at the cost of the purchaser.

EDMUND BURKE, JAMES R. CATON, Trustees.

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By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST

dated December 6th, 1891, and recorded in deed book No. 7, page 456, one of the land records of Alexandria city, the undersigned trustee named therein, will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Western street entrance to the Market Building, on

SATURDAY, January 3rd, 1903,

at 12 o'clock m., the real estate described in and conveyed by the said deed of trust, to-wit: Beginning on the west side of Washington street, 116 feet 5 inches north of Wilkes street, and running thence south on Washington street 35 feet; thence west parallel to Washington street 35 feet; thence north parallel to Washington street 35 feet; and thence east in the direct line 123 feet 5 inches to the beginning.

Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyancing at cost of purchaser.

M. B. HARLOW, Trustee.

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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, CUSTOM

HOUSE BUILDING, ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

DECEMBER 16, 1902.

To all whom it may concern:

Take notice, that on TUESDAY, December 23rd, 1902, at my office in the Custom House Building at Alexandria, Va., I shall proceed to execute the orders of the District Court of Virginia, entered in the matter of Charles F. Tyler, bankrupt, on January 8th, 1901, and December 4th, 1902, which requires me to ascertain and report the matters and things ordered to be done by the court, and to settle the account of E. E. Meredith, deceased, the former assignee of said bankrupt, and to ascertain and report the names of the purchasers, and the amounts due on account of purchase money, and in particular the amount due on account of the purchase of the land purchased by the said Charles F. Tyler, who is in possession of the land purchased by the said Charles F. Tyler, and by what title or claim they hold the same, and all other matters relating to the same. At which time and place all parties interested are required to attend.

Given under my hand and special Commissioner of said Court, this 16th day of December, A. D. 1902.

JOHN S. FOWLER, Special Commissioner.

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FINANCIAL.

CHARLOTTEVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY.

Alexandria, Va., Dec. 8, 1902.

To the holders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Bonds: The following bonds, drawn for redemption by lot, in accordance with the terms of the mortgage, will be sold by the office of the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, Philadelphia, Pa., with accrued interest, on 23rd day of December, 1902, at 100 cents on said bonds, to-wit:

\$10,000, 32, 50, 78, 89, 100, 121, 208, 218, 225, \$10,000—\$10,000.

Nos. 291, 303, 304, 448, 484, 545, 564, 570, 572, 592, 593, 653, 659, 713, \$500 each \$7,000.

Nos. 709, 711, 790, 800, each—\$400.

JOHN W. BURKE, Trustee.

EDW. L. DAINGERFIELD, Trustee.

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